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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
Appl. No. 09/869,565; Int'l Filing Date: December 31, 1998  
For: **PTH Receptor and Screening Assay Utilizing the Same**  
Inventors: Gardella *et al.*  
Our Ref: 0609.4730000/SRL/M-G

Sir:

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2. Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) with copy of Assignment attached; and
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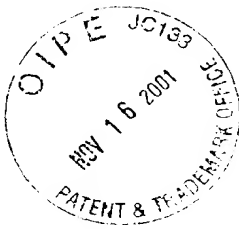
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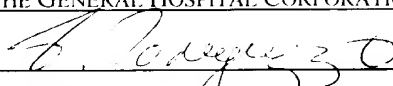
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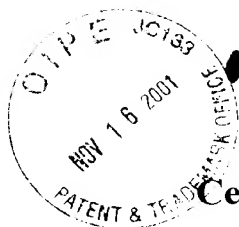
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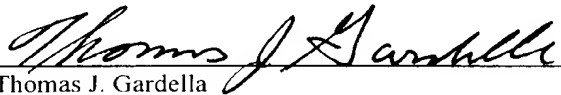
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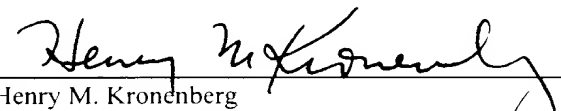
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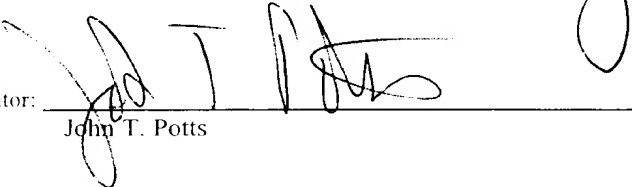
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